

FORMAL COMMUNICATION

TO:

Regional Operators

Indianapolis Private Industry Council

Directors of Operations for Northern & Southern Indiana

All Local Office Managers

All WorkOne Staff

FROM:

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Policy Unit

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UI Eligibility Determination Communications

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Effective immediately, all WorkOne staff (to include those employed by the State of Indiana, Regional Operators and Service Providers) are to cease providing any information to clients, potential claimants or any member of the public regarding potential eligibility for Unemployment Insurance benefits.

Local office staff may still assist clients, as needed, in accessing CSS for purposes of applying for Unemployment Insurance but are **strictly prohibited from offering any advice, counsel or information on potential eligibility.** All staff are still expected to comply with Local Office UI Policy as well as providing assistance in applying for benefits, accessing CSS and providing basic information to claimants.

This directive includes services provided in the local office, at Rapid Response events and TAA Orientations.

Any inquiries regarding Unemployment Insurance benefits should be referred to the UpLink Customer Service Center who will route the inquiry to the appropriate individual for response.

Unemployment Insurance benefits determination experts will evaluate each inquiry and provide eligibility information to the individual making the inquiry.

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